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HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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PREVENTION OF DIABETES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has formulated any specific programme to prevent the spread of diabetes in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the funds allocated to control diabetes in the country during the last three years, year-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMDOSS)

(a) to (c) A National Programme for Prevention and Control of Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke is approved for launch during the XIth Five Year Plan. The pilot phase of this Programme will extend to six States. As the programme is yet to be launched, not funds have been released to States during last three years.